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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 TO ACCOMPANY A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Sir:

A Request for Continued Examination pursuant to 37 CFR §1.114 is being filed concurrently with this amendment. In response to the final Office Action (dated January 3, 2007) and the Advisory Action (dated May 17, 2007), Applicants filed a Notice of Appeal, which was received by the Patent Office on June 29, 2007. Applicants thereafter filed an Amendment After Final (dated August 15, 2007) and received a further Advisory Action (dated August 30, 2007). Accordingly, this paper is in response to the final Office Action (dated January 3, 2007), the Advisory Action (dated May 17, 2007), and the Advisory Action (dated August 30, 2007).

Please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.